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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:  Takeshi SAITO ET AL.        GAU:         2152

SERIAL NO: 09/035,995                              EXAMINER:  WILLETT, S. F.

RCE FILED:  JULY 5, 2002

FOR:       DATA TRANSFER CONTROL DEVICE, RELAY DEVICE AND CONTROL DEVICE SUITABLE FOR
           HOME NETWORK ENVIRONMENT

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
## UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C.  20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a **three** month extension of time be granted to **FEBRUARY 8, 2003** for

■ filing a response to the Official Action dated:    AUGUST 8, 2002

☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:

☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due            has been timely filed.

☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:

☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due            has been filed.

☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of $930.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. **15-0030**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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